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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Harald Hoffeld et al.  
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REMARKS

All references were cited in an Office Action dated August 17, 1998 in German Application No. 198 02 524.6.

US 5,819,895 is the English language counterpart of DE 295 215 41. US 5,778,668 is the English language counterpart of DE 195 22 753. GB 1,146,840 is the English language counterpart of DE 1 600 062. US 6,101,810 is the English language counterpart of DE 196 14 589.

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